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Planets to put on a show; 'Fab Five' to line up in night sky

For the next two weeks, the so-called "naked-eye" planets -- Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn -- along with the Moon, will line up in the night sky giving spectators a unique chance to see Earth's closest companions at once. "This particular planetary grouping will quite possibly offer the best nighttime views until 2036," said Dr. Myles Standish, an astronomer at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena, Calif. The planets will be visible for about an hour after sunset. For details, go to http://www.nasa.gov/vision/universe/watchtheskies/fab_five.html.

Marshall welcomes U.S. Army Medical Command conference participants Tuesday

**Marshall Exchange sports shoe fair
8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.
March 30-April 1,
Bldg. 4203 lobby.
See 'Inside Marshall'**

Medical Center guidelines in effect for physical exams

Marshall team members who have part 1 physical exams scheduled should not report if they are sick, but should call and cancel the appointment. If personnel are sick, there is a likelihood that blood and other samples will not be indicative of overall health status. Call 544-2390 and speak to a nurse or other medical professional for advice on cancelling an appointment if there is a likelihood of missing it due to sickness.

<http://inside.msfc.nasa.gov>